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Applicant(s): Wu et al.  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated November 2, 2005, such extension allowing the undersigned until March 2, 2006 to respond.

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